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TAGS: SNAR, IN
SUBJECT: INDIAN OPIUM PRODUCTION

1. ACCORDNG TO MINFINANCE OFFICIAL A.P. AGRAWAL,
INDIAN OPIUM PRODUCTION FROM THE CURRENT CROP WILL
TOTAL 1400 TONS. TOTAL ACREAGE ACTUALLY PLANTED
WAS JUST UNDER 60,000 HECTARES.

2. FURTHER DATA ON OPIUM CULTIVATION REQUESTED IN
STATE 98632 IS CONTAINED IN NEW DELHI A-114 OF
MAY 12, 1978.

3. COMMENT: AGRAWAL'S FIGURE SIGNIFIES A 19 PERCENT
INCREASE IN PRODUCTION OVER LAST YEAR'S 1180 TONS.
THIS IS PARTIALLY EXPLAINED BY THE APPROXIMATELY TEN
PERCENT INCREASE IN ACREAGE. IT IS SECONDLY THE RETURN
TO A MORE NORMAL GENERUL YIELD AFTER DEPRESSED YIELDS
IN 1977 AND 1976, ATTRIBUTED TO WEATHER AND PLANT
DISEASE.
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Message Attributes

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